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Officials advise no swimming at Hanalei Bay due to shark sighting

HANALEI – Ocean Safety Bureau officials advise no swimming at Hanalei Bay until further notice due to a shark sighting.

OSB officials received reports of a possible 8-to-10 foot tiger shark sighted approximately 500 feet in waters offshore, fronting the Pavilion Lifeguard Tower.

As a safety precaution, OSB officials have posted warning signs and are monitoring the area.

Lifeguards will reassess the area tomorrow.

Updates will be provided when more information becomes available.

For updates, please speak to a county lifeguard or call the Ocean Safety Bureau at 241-4984.

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